SHARP ADVANCES IN ALL GRAIN MARKETS.

STRENGTH AND BULLISH-

crease the bullishness and strength that has prevailed during the past few days, and ch was especially marked last Saturday. which was and the workings of the different successful and the workings of the different successful and the workings of the different successful and the workings with the developments of late, being governed and influenced by conditions that were emphatically favorated by conditions that were emphatically favorated by conditions that were emphatically favorated by the successful and the workings of the different successful and the workings of the workings of the different successful and the workings of by conditions that were emphatically lavorable, and to which all grain markets respond freely. There was no evidence of
real weakness during the day, but a rapidly
increasing undertone of strength, which
was particularly noticeable during the last
half of the session and the result was that
prices advanced sharply and closed right prices advanced sharply and closed right up around the best figures for the day. P4c, while corn was 11,6015 higher and oats wheat showing a gain in price of 1%4% to wheat showing a gain in price of 1%4% to wheat showing those markets have yet made since the bull movement was inaugurated last week. Besides the strength displayed the markets were generally active, pit operations large and at times excitins.

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A built fever swept through the wheat markets of the country Monday, and prices were carried sharply upward everywhere. The local market got into its built stride right at the outset, and, while receiving some slight checks, was never actually headed off, prices rising almost without interruption and finally closing at the best figures of the day. The trade was confronted from the send-off by builtish conditions. One of the most important of these was lawyed and at the crop of this country by the floods. Following these cables was the usual damage reports from the Southwest, and the fact that cable statigical were not builtish, the amount on ocean showing a decrease of 1.68.000 but, while the word is shipments were less than \$0.00.000 but. Receipts were fair and the weather, though clear, was still cold in many localities. The feeling was very builtish on these advices, and no trouble was found in giving the market a good and lively send-off, July opening \$c\$c up, at 70% country by the market a good and lively send-off, July opening \$c\$c up, at 70% country in the day, the worder of the country by the market a good and lively send-off, July opening \$c\$c up, at 70% country by the market a good and lively send-off, July opening \$c\$c up, at 70% country in the day was \$c\$c better, at 72% country for Market and the worder the worder of the country was still cold in many localities. The feeling was very bull-ish on these advices, and no trouble was found in giving the market a good and lively send-off, July opening \$c\$c up, at 70% country in the day, this shade of the worder of the feeling was very bull-ish on these advices, and no trouble was found in giving the market a good and lively send-off, July opening \$c\$c up, at 70% country in the day, at 70% country in the day, at 70% cou

For instance, the visible was decreased 2.05,000 hu., which was more than expected. Export clearances for the day were large, and reports of damage to the German crop were received, which was confirmed by the Government, and a 3c advance at Berlin, with Germany said to be buying at New York. Liverpool closed 1%d higher and London 1%d up, while Paris was 4%de better for the day. On the strength of the above, there was an advance here in July to 70%d%c, and to 72%c for May, but the buying for short account was not noticeably Leavy, as it had been. A later cable from Berlin stated that the advance there was 1%c, instead of 3c as first reported, and the clearances from America in flour and wheat 905,000 bu. There was but little let-down to the market, and as the day drew to a close it went higher than ever, July selling at 71c, at which it closed asked, when 72%c was bid for May. Export sales of 47 loads were reported from the seaboard, and had a strong effect. instance, the visible was decreased

There was undeniable strength in the local corn market, but the situation was quiet, for the reason that speculative interest was centered in the higher-priced grain. The weather west of the storm center to the east was all right, but receipts were light, and the country was selling but lightly. Liverpool was up ½d and wheat was a strong buil factor all the way through. May here opened ½c higher at 43½c, and at once went up to 44c, so urgent was the demand and so little was for sale. July sold at the and later 43½c was bld. The availonce went up to 44c, so urgent was the demand and so little was for sale. July sold at 43c and later 43½c was bid. The available supplies were decreased, the visible of this country decreasing 681,000 bu. and the amount on ocean passage 1,356,000 bu. against 575,000 bu, decrease in the former and \$44,000 bu, increase in the latter last year. July finally brought 43½c and May was bid 44½c. The clearances for the day were small at 314,000 bu, and only five loads were taken for export. Late in the day on an upturn at Chicago, May here sold at 65½c and closed at that asked, while July sold and closed at 43½c.

On the strength of the backward season and the boom in other grains the speculative market for oats was very strong, with a good demand that advanced the market sharply, July selling % up at 25% and May %c higher at Zc, at which the market closed. There was a decrease in the visible supply of 36,000 bu., sgainst 242,000 bu. decrease a year ago.

Traders' Gossip. nts of wheat by the principal exporting Last Wk. Wk. before. Year \$P0.
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Demand Was Lively and Trading on a Large Scale and at Big Gains in Price.

There was but one side apparently to the local grain situation Monday and that was the bull side. The course of events in all the markets was well calculated to increase the bullishness and strength that

Prices on 'Change. The following tables show the range of prices in the future and cash grains:

Closed Range Closed Barley 407
Contract grades— 933,079
No. 2 red 933,079
No. 2 hard 77,214
No. 2 corn 310,897
No. 2 white corn 14,721
No. 2 oats 4825
No. 2 white oats
No. 2 barley 297

The produce markets were generally duli and slow Monday and there were few changes in prices. Receipts were moderate, but the demand was light, both for shipping and local account. A few of the more perishable fruits and vegetables were firm, but as a rule prices were steady.

Potatoes were quiet and steady at unchanged prices. Receipts were moderate, but there was only a limited demand for choice, bright, smooth Northern eating varieties, and offerings of nearby-grown were more than ample for the requirements. Common and inferior stock was offered freely, but there was little demand for such stock.

New potatoes were in fair demand and firm, but receipts were equal to the requirements.

Sweet potatoes were quiet. Seed stock was dead dull, but there was a limited demand for choice eating potatoes.

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Spinach was dull and slow, with offerings of Spinach was dull and slow, with offerings of home-grown heavy.

Cabbage was quiet, but firm. Offerings of both old and new cabbage were light and there was a fair demand for cnoice stock, but much of the old cabbage is more or less damaged and inferior.

Onions were quiet and unchanged. Fancy globes were firmer, but common and inferior stock was cull and weak.

Radishes were dull and plentiful, with offerings ample for the demand.

Tomatoes were also dull and slow. Offerings were liberal, and there was only a fair demand for choice large, ripe, sound stock. Small, green, overripe or inferior stock was hard to sell at any price.

New turnips were firm and higher, as receipts were light, and there was a good demand.

Most of the onterings were of the carried-over in good condition, but some of the carried-over in good condition, but some of the carried-over stock was soft.

Oranges were in fair demand and steady at unchanged prices.

Lemons were dull and slow at unchanged prices. The unfavorable weather tends to check consumption and offerings were liberal.

Other fruits were quiet and steady at the Jacking.

The demand for chickens was less active, and while receipts were not heavy, offerings were ample for the demand. Ducks were also dull and easier. Turkeys were quiet and steady, but geese were dead dull.

Dressed poultry was slow and weak, as dealers prefer the live stock. Only smooth, fresh, iced stock is wanted. Chickens were saleable in a limited way if light and plump, but heavy old or stale stock was not wanted. Turkeys were quiet and steady, and geese were dull and weak.

Veals were quiet and steady. Offerings were fairly heavy, but there was a slightly better demand than on Saturday.

Game was quiet and steady at unchanged prices. Frog legs were dull and weak.

Wool was quiet and steady at unchanged prices. Receipts were moderate, but generally olly and of only fair quality. There was a moderate demand for the finer grades, but medium and coarse grades were dull and slow.

Hides were steady and in fair demand at unchanged prices.

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The market was weak and lower Monday, as receipts were heavy and there was only a fair local demand. Shipments, however, were large.

Fresh receipts sold at 11c for near-try, but Southern stock sold for less. Duck eggs were quiet at 12½c and goose eggs at 20c a doz.

Receipts at St. Louis were 10,213 cases and shipments were 9,580 cases.

Dairy Products.

Dutter—The market was steady and unchanged.

Butter—The market was steady and unchanged Saturday. Receipts light and stock also light. Quotations: Creamery—Extra 21c, firsts 189 lie; seconds 16917c. Dairy—Extra 16917c; firsts 14915c; greats 4c. Store-packed—Let for choice to 8c for poor. Ladie-packed—Extra 149 lie; firsts 12912c. Roll—Sc for poor to 12c for choice.

consequently no business. The domestic demand is still small.

Quotations for car lots on trk. of soft winter wheat flour are as follows: Patents \$1.5093.65; straights \$2.3093.40; extra fancy \$2.1592.25; clear \$2.85475; lew and medium \$2.2592.50. Hard winter in jute sks. \$2.5092.70 for clears, \$2.9093.10 for straights, and \$3.2093.35 for patents. Spring wheat patents \$3.9093.75 in jute sks.

RYE FLOUR-Jobbing at \$3 in sks. and \$3.30 (MBO-Quote Florida at \$393.50 per 6-basket crate. 1.25 per 602. 14.59 per crate.
GUMBO—Quote Florida at \$13.23.50 per 6-basket crate.
PEPPERS—Choice Florida at \$1.50@1.75 per 6-basket crate.
NEW POTATOES—Quote Bermuda at \$6@7 per bbl.; Florida triumphs \$2.50@3 per bu.; Texas '50 per ½-bu. box.
BEETS—Quote New Orleans at 35c per doz. for large and 30c for small bunches. Old at 90c per bbl. Orders higher.
CARROTS—Quote New Orleans at 20@30c per doz. bunches. Home-grown at 50c per bu. loose. On orders, \$1.50 per bbl.
TURNIPS—New Orleans (new) quiet at 40@46c for choice. On orders higher.
PARSLEY—New Orleans curly quotable at 15c per doz. bunches.
KOHLRABI—Choice large New Orleans at 30@35c per doz. bunches.
SPINACH—Home-grown 10@15c per bu. loose; Southern not wanted.
SHALLOTS—New Orleans not wanted, as home-grown are rientiful.
PARSLEY—New Orleans curly quotable at 150. SHALLOTS—New Orleans not wanted, as home-grown are clentiful.

PARSLEY—New Orleans curly quotable at 159
20c per dox., according to size of bunches.

RUTAHAGAS—Steady, Quotable at 32c per bu.

In bulk. Orders 31.40 per bbl.

SAUERKRAUT—Quote: Bbls. at 34; half bbls.

at 52.

SAUERKRAUT—Quote: Bots. at 47.
at \$2.
SWERT POTATOES—Steady. Quote homegrown Bermuda at \$5c, yellow at \$6645c and red.
Nausemond at \$6c per bu. Seed—Bermuda \$6c;
queen \$5c, red and yellow Nansemond life per
bu., loose, orders higher.
HORSERADISH—Quote home-grown at 2c per
lb. 100Te-RIOWH.

SPANISH ONIONS—Quote at \$1.50 per crate.

MUSHROOMS—Dull at 25@35c per lb.

LETTUCE—New Orleans choice \$2.50; poor \$2

per bbl. Home-grown sells at 25@50c per bu. per bbl. Home-grown sens at box loose.
ENDIVES-Quote New Orleans at \$262.50 per ENDIVES—Quote New Orleans
bhl.

KALE—Home-grown 24:65c per bu, box, Consignments not wanted.

RADISHES—Louisiana choice long red at 00:60c per bu, box; white tips 90c@fl; New Orleans choice, bbl, lets 25:600c per doz, bunches.
Held stock leys, Arkansas 15:600c; Mississippi 15
600c per doz, bunches.

Black and sandy from 4c to 6c per lb. less.

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Fruits and Vegetables.

APPLES—Quote: Baldwin at \$2.50@3.00 for No. 1 and fancy. \$1.55@2.25 for No. 2 (damaged and off stock less): Roman beauty at \$3.25@3.05 for No. 1. 12.40@2.50 for No. 2. russet at \$3.35 for fancy: fancy Willowtwis \$2.40@3.50, Ben Davis at \$2.75@3.5. according to quality.

STRAWBERRICES—Quote: Florida in refrigerator carriers sold mainly at 30@32½c for average to 35c a quart for fancy: Texas from \$3.50@4 per crate for fair to choice to \$50% for fancy. Small and soft stock was worthless. Mississippl \$2.92.50 per 1-alf crate. Louislana and Mississippl \$2.92.50 per 1-alf crate. Louislana and Mississippl \$2.92.50 per 3-gal. case; Alabama \$3.50 for Sal. case.

ORANGES—Quote car lots California sound on the Sale of values is as follows: California on trk.: Fancy navels at \$2.75; choice do. at \$2.60 for 2.50; seedlings at \$2.15 for fancy; choice \$2.02.10; Mediterranean sweets \$2.1562.25. Jobbing prices are box higher than car lots. Louisland to the same week in \$1.50@1.75 for choice and \$2.60 cars of the same week in \$1.50.00 bu, and is now down to \$3.40 cars a year ago when 189 cars graded. There are 140 cars estimated for Tuesday. The visible decreased \$91.000, as compared with 459.000 decrease in the same week in 1900. The total visible is now 21,228.000, wainst \$2.116.000 bu, in 1900.

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WHEAT AND CORN

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LATTER MADE NEW TOP REC-ORD, 461-2 CENTS.

Advance of 2 Cents Over Saturday's Closing-Oats Higher-Provisions Steady.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Chicago, Ill., April 22.-Wheat ruled firm and prices were higher. Corn was equally as firm and closed higher with a new top record. Oats were also firm and higher with provisions steady, closing at about their opening prices.

Wheat.

There was a larger trade and a broader active market, fluctuations covering 1½0 1½c range. Higher prices ruled, a bullish sentiment developing, May selling to 72½c and closing at 72½c, or about 1½c better than Saturday. The higher cables, both English and continental, decrease on ocean passage, and liberal reduction in the visible supply were among the main bull influences. The advance abroad was reported due to bad reports from Germany. Liverpool quoted spot steady to ½c higher and futures up 1½c.

London gained 1@1½d and Berlin advanced 1½@1½c. World's shipments were officially at 8,286,000 bu, against 8,480,000 bu, one year ago. The quantity on ocean passage decreased 1,640,000 bu, and is now 47,945,000, as compared with 41,920,000 bu, the same date last year.

last year.
There was good commission-house buying

See per bu. box. white tips 90cff!; New Orleans choice, bbl. lots 25030c per doz, bunches.

Held stock less. Arkansas 1520c; Mississippl 15 250c per doz, bunches.

BRUSSELS SPROUTS—Quotable at 2025c per doz, bunches.

GREEN ONIONS—Home-grown 2426c per doz, bunches.

Hides.

Dry-flint—Average Texas recelpts, round 15c; choice Texas 134c. Dry-flint—Seierted No. 1 12c; solo bunches.

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GREEN ONIONS—Home-grown 2486c, on box in public elevators and afloat decreased 18c, 5000 bun. against 148,1400 last year. Local stocks in public elevator

mated local receipts for to-morrow are no cars.

May wheat opened at 71½c to 71¾c, sold up to 72¾c and closed strong at 72½c.

Corn.

May corn made a new record, advancing to 46½c. The gain was very well main-tained, the close being 46¾c bid, or just 2c higher than Saturday. July sold up to 45c, being 1¾c discount at one time, and closed 1%c better.

Trade was of good volume, buying by shorts and bull interests being the principal feature. Light receipts, higher cables, small offerings from the interior and unseasonable weather were the strengthening influences. The market was undoubtedly helped by reports that the long interest contemplated taking in their corn on May contracts.

f. o. b. afloat; State rye 15656c c. i. f. New York car lots. Barley steady; feeding 46648bc c. i. f. New York; matting 62670c c. i. f. New York; Barley steady; feeding 46648bc c. i. f. New York; matting 62670c c. i. f. New York; Barley malt dull; Western 65672c. Wheat-Receipts 6259 bu.; exports 190,238 bu.; spot strong; No. 2 red 815c f. o. b. afloat and 795c elev; No. 1 Northern Duluth 875c f. o. b. afloat and 795c elev; No. 1 Northern Duluth 875c f. o. b. afloat and red opening and an active trade all day, adoma ferrillin, reflecting crop damage, and home speculative of the following and an active trade all day, adoma ferrillin, reflecting crop damage, and home speculative of the following and an active trade all day, adoma ferrillin, reflecting crop damage, and 1566 f. o. b. afloat Options were active and 615c f. o. b. afloat Options were active and 615c f. o. b. afloat Options were active and decidedly strong all day, impelled by cables, cold weather West, the wheat advance, covering and light country offerings; closed 875c, colesed 51c; July 675c options from and 1615c; No. 2 305c; Obsect 35c; July 675c options from and 1615c; No. 2 305c; Obsect 35c; July 675c options from and higher with the other markets. Hay steady; shipping 75690c; good to choice 575c. Hops quiet; State common to choice, 1900 crop, 1639 19c; 1890 crop 1167c; old olds 266c; Pacific Coast, 1900 crop, 1639 19c; 1890 crop 1167c; old olds 266c; Coal quiet, Breef quiet; family filigit; mess 19.50670; beef hams 19.50671; news 19.50670; beef hams 19.50671; packet 51660. Tallow quiet, State common to choice, 1900 crop, 1639 19c; 1890 crop 1167c; old olds 266c; Coal quiet, Breef quiet; family filigit; mess 19.50670; beef hams 19.50670; beef hams 19.50670; prime yellow 256 compound 65c. Fork steady; functions were as follows: Follow from comments, fair to extra, 3.506 compound 65c. Fork steady; functions were as follows: Flour firm, Omestic, fair to extra, 3.506 compound 65c. Fork steady; function were as follows: Flour firm, Omestic, fair to ex

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